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PATENT

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

Robert H. Zimmer

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) Group: 1617

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) Examiner: Gina C. Yu

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For: A Process To Improve The Oral
Absorption of Polypeptide Drug Substances
And Other Poorly Orally Absorbed Drugs
While Maintaining Their Pharmacological Effects

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RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

Sir:

The following is in response to the Office Action dated July 1, 2004. Kindly enter the following amendment to the claims:

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